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For:

WIRING PATTERN AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME AND THIN FILM

MAGNETIC HEAD AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1<sup>st</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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